

Safety Device for a Trimmer

Abstract

A hedge trimmer has a working part with a cutting tool and a drive and further has guide part with a guide rod that has a drive connection for connecting a drive motor to the drive of the working part. The working part is pivotable relative to the guide part. A safety device in the form of a drive cutoff mechanism is provided that switches off the drive of the working part when the angle between the working part and the guide part is within a predetermined pivot angle range.